



"Let us raise a standard to which the wise and honest can repair, the rest is in the hands of God."  
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**HONORED BY EMPLOYEES**—S. E. Sawyer, who retired on January 31 as overseer of the Finishing Department at White Oak Plant, is shown being presented gifts from the employees in that department. Mr. Sawyer began his employment at Cone Mills in November, 1921. With him here are Mrs. Romie Wrenn, presenting gift; William Ratliff, Albert Gregory and Floyd McNeal.

## Heiss: Trained Personnel Needed By Industry

"Industry's Need of Trained Personnel" was the topic of the address by Marion W. Heiss, Cone Mills Corporation vice president, last Wednesday night at a dinner sponsored by the Greensboro Advisory Board of Guilford College at Greensboro Country Club. About 200 educators, businessmen and industrialists were present.

"The American story is the story of opportunity, training and incentive. Factories, transport, natural resources and capital mean little without trained people," stated Mr. Heiss.

The Cone official pointed out that cultural and social advancement require that citizens be trained for "creativity and productivity which open the way for these higher values."

He referred to 53 "key men" at Cone Mills who have benefited from evening college courses directly related to their jobs while many others have advanced their education in general.

The group heard from William O. Leonard, Jr., of Cone Mills Personnel Department, and William H. Reeves, Jr., who have almost completed college degree requirements while continuing their business careers.

Four Greensboro men were recognized for outstanding contributions to education. They were Hobart Souther, Cone Mills research director; Dr. Franklin McNutt, in charge of the Woman's College graduate program; Arnold Schiffman, district governor of Rotary and local jewelry store owner, and John K. Voehringer, realtor.

Mr. Souther was recognized for his contributions to "science and public service." He was secretary to the original trustees of the Evening College.

Dr. McNutt was cited for his "dynamic and creative leadership" in planning the academic program of the school at its beginning.

Mr. Schiffman was cited for "significant community service" in the "foresight and leadership" which he contributed to the plan-

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Hobart Souther

## Proximity P.T.A. To Honor Presidents

Proximity School Parent-Teacher Association will honor all of its past presidents at a Founders Day program Tuesday night, February 14 at 7:30 at the school. Mrs. Merlin Beaver will preside.

Music will be by the Proximity School Band. Rev. Fletcher Howard, pastor of Newlyn Street Methodist Church, will lead the devotion.

The past presidents and the years they served are:

1923-24, Mrs. Wallace Branson; 1924-25, Mrs. R. E. Sims; 1925, Mrs. Tom Bangle (3 months); 1925-26, (Continued on page 4)

## Legionnaires Work All Night For Worthy Project

"The rains came, the thunder rolled and the lightning flashed but Cone Legionnaires kept stirring, adding chickens, beef, pork and all the other ingredients that make a good Brunswick Stew," stated one of the Legionnaires.

The meat started cooking at 7:00 p.m. last Friday night and loads of ingredients were added throughout the night. At 8:00 a.m. Saturday morning the stew was ready for serving.

Two complaints were heard from customers. It was said the stew was "too thick." Cone Post feels it should give some explanation to these customers who thought their stew was too thick. The majority of people complain of thin stew, so Cone Legionnaires have always made it thick and rich with plenty of meat because the people buying it can always thin it down to suit their taste.

Alton Wyrick, vice commander would like to express his appreciation to the public for supporting this project of the Legion. All profits will go into the Post Building Fund.

The next regular meeting of the Post will be held in the Legion Room above the White Oak Drug Store (Friday) tonight at 7:30.

## Church Entertains For New Members

A reception for approximately 40 new members was held in the education building of the Sixteenth Street Baptist Church, last Sunday night after the evening worship service. These members have joined the church within the past few months.

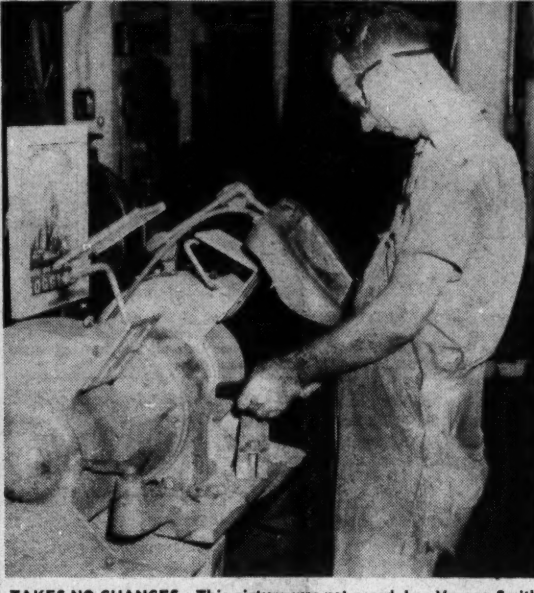
The pastor, William L. Bennett, brought a short welcome to these new members. Clyde Wrenn and Ernest Holt sang a duet and Mrs. Doris Bennett, sang a solo. The pianists were Mrs. Audrey Smith and Ruth Holt.

Short welcome speeches were given by Rockford Hill, chairman of the deacons; Jack Wrenn, Sunday School Superintendent; Melvin Whitt, Training Union director; Robert Hill, Music Director; and Rosa Lou Holmes, Woman's Missionary Union President. Mrs. Dahlia Moore and Mrs. T. W. Michael served refreshments.

## Harold W. Smith Speaks To NOMA

Harold W. Smith, secretary and comptroller of Cone Mills Corporation, spoke to the Greensboro Chapter of the National Office Management Association last night at Star Mount Country Club. His topic was "An Approach To Clerical Cost Control."

Stokes S. Rawlins is NOMA program chairman.



**TAKES NO CHANCES**—This picture was not posed. Lee Vernon Smith, of Proximity Weave Room, was wearing goggles and using the lighted eye shield when this picture was made. Vernon is taking no chances with his eyes but a lot of folks do. Want to keep your eyes? Want them to be in the best shape possible? Then keep them protected whenever you are doing a hazardous job or are in a place where the eyes may be injured. Do your work the safe way. Do it the Cone way, the right way, and you will never be an "accident prone." We don't have a bouquet of orchids to give to Vernon Smith, although perhaps we should. But he has the satisfaction of knowing that his eyes won't be damaged by a flying particle of steel or carborundum.

## Thirty-Two At Granite On Attendance List

Mr. P. C. Beatty, manager of the Granite Plant, mailed a letter of congratulations to 32 employees at Granite for a perfect attendance record for the year 1955.

Mr. Beatty expressed his appreciation to each employee for his regular attendance, telling him that it was essential towards making any job a success and that every job in the plant is an important one in the overall production of quality corduroy.

The following employees had perfect attendance: Lee Roy Glenn, Charlie A. Beauford, Eldwyn R. Mebane, Mack C. Graves, William A. Parker, and Walter E. Corbett of the Mechanical Department.

Earl D. Reed, Ernest M. Murray, John A. Bason, Melvin H. McBride, Johnny W. Riley, Dace Maddox, and Brodie B. Webster of Grey and Cutting Department.

Mary G. Pendegraph of the Pick-Up Department.

John D. Kimrey, Robert J. Riggs, and Bobby E. Edwards of the Dye House.

Evelyn W. Jones, Joe W. Clay. (Continued on page 4)

## Four At Granite Made Supervisors

The following changes have been made in the supervision at the Granite Plant.

J. M. Williamson has been appointed to the position of day superintendent, W. H. Ritter, night superintendent, M. B. Boyce, overseer of Dyeing, and J. C. Wellons, Jr., assistant overseer of Dyeing, second shift.

These men are all residents of Haw River and take an active part in the civic work of the community.

## Young Matrons Meet Wednesday, Feb. 15

The young Matrons Club will have a covered dish luncheon for their Wednesday, February 15 meeting at Proximity Y.M.C.A.

The club will make Easter favors for a local nursing home this month.

Those coming to the next meeting do not have to make reservations.

## Edna Plant Has 47 On Attendance List

Forty-seven employees or 13.35% had perfect attendance for 1955 at Edna Plant. Supt. C. L. Jolly sent the following letter to employees with perfect attendance.

"It is indeed a pleasure for me to commend you for your splendid attendance record during 1955. You were present every scheduled work day."

"Your supervisors and I are proud of the interest and loyalty you have shown toward your job. By working regularly, you have greatly helped us in our continuing efforts to successfully manufacture quality cloth."

"Let me thank you again and say that I sincerely hope you will be able to continue your outstanding attendance record during 1956."

Sincerely yours,  
C. L. Jolly  
Superintendent"

Those with perfect records are:

John W. Smith, Mary S. Davis, Charlie D. Smith, Maggie L. Spears, Maude B. Smith, Charlie R. Thacker, Ruth D. Truelove, Buck D. Pruitt, Naomi S. McCann, Elizabeth Odell, Harvey Eaton, Morris E. Gibson, James A. Lee, Robert J. Lawson, B. Richard Yeatts, Robie N. Dalton, Claude Childrey, Harvey I. King, Melvin C. Boyd, Clyde T. Russell, Clyde F. Dockery, John E. Bolden.

Robert H. Hopper, Onnie E. Galoway, Theodore W. Newnam, Paul S. Moore, Annie Allison, Nancy F. Black, Dewey L. Roland, Robert H. Brown, Clyde W. Pulliam, Maude S. Lemons, Louanna H. Dockery, Richard G. Taylor, Howard L. Warren, Oatie E. Bartlett, Robert V. Barnes, Berkeley E. Henderson, Ulysses W. Turner, Edith T. Dalton, Nellie M. Barnes.

Calvin H. Cook, Mildred K. Jarrell, Frances M. Tomlin, Willm. H. Thacker, Gurney A. Stewart, Robert G. Lawson.

## Clara Wright Circle Has Mission Program

Clara Wright Circle of the Sixteenth Street Baptist Church held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. L. Lowe on the Yanceyville Road last Monday night. Mrs. Elmer Burnside, presided.

The program was on "Mission Study." Mrs. J. F. Starling gave the devotion and opening prayer.

Those taking part on the program were Mrs. V. D. Kendrick, Mrs. Jim Howell and Mrs. Burnside.

After the business session Mrs. Lowe was presented gifts for her new home.

Those present were Mrs. J. F. Starling, Mrs. Lena Kimery, Mrs. Burnside, Mrs. Dennis Hepler, Mrs. Harden Cockman, Mrs. Jim Howell and Mrs. Lowe.

## Scouting Exposition Is Tonight, Tomorrow

The first bi-annual scouting exposition is being sponsored by the Greater Greensboro Exchange Club, in close cooperation with the General Greene Council. This is a non-profit venture on the part of the Greater Greensboro Exchange Club; if any profit is realized from this exposition, it will be returned to the Council in the form of Scouting equipment or other needs not monetary.

The Exposition is the "Show Window" of Scouting, to which the public is invited to see "Scouting In Action." Each Cub pack, Scout Troop and Explorer Unit will demonstrate a Cub Scout Achievement, a Merit Badge, or an Explorer Skill in a booth over a two day period.

Place — Greensboro Tobacco Warehouse, Burlington Road, U. S. Hwy. 70-A, near Greensboro.

Time—February 10, 1956, 7:00 to 9:30 p.m. February 11, 1956, 2:00 to 9:30 p.m.

Participants—Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and Explorers put on the show. Parents, friends, and the general public pay to see the show.

Business men of the Area Council provide additional leadership beyond that given by the regular leaders.

The Exposition is for the boys to show what they have learned in Scouting. The public likes to see (Continued on page 4)



**CITIZENSHIP WINNERS**—Winners of the fifth annual Clarence Michael Memorial Awards for citizenship, sponsored by Proximity Y's Men, are shown here. Chester W. Arnold, at right, Cone Mills personnel director, made the presentations. Winners of first place awards standing nearest Mr. Arnold are Kathryn Redmond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Redmond, 1511 Boone Street, and Robert Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson, 1612 Upland Drive. Second place winners shown at left are Phyllis Hepler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hepler, 1405 Denim Road, and Tommy Edwards, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Edwards, 1307 Summit Avenue.

## Mill Quality Must Back Fashion Advertising

Cone fabrics are now coming before the consumer's eye more and more through colorful fashion magazine advertisements. This means that every employee in the plants must do his part to help Cone products live up to these ads. In doing so, each employee is also helping himself toward steady employment in the days ahead.



**IN NEW POSITION**—Gordon D. WILLIAMS, who has served in many different capacities in the Cone Mills training program, leaves soon to take over duties as assistant superintendent of the Dwight Division, Alabama City, Ala. A native of Deer Lodge, Montana, Mr. Williams is a graduate of the Wharton School of Finance of the University of Pennsylvania. He served in the U. S. Army for four years during World War II, and for 18 months he served in Europe. He held the rank of first lieutenant. He married the former Joy Draper Fitzsimons of Charlotte. They have three children, Joy, Gordon Dean, Jr. and David Taylor.

## Ballroom Dancing Class Still Has Opening

There are still a few openings for membership in the Thursday night beginners ballroom dancing class, which is to meet at the Proximity Y. Call 9621 and ask for Miss Maxine Allen or W. L. Riley. Classes will start when membership numbers 20.

An advertising campaign by Cone Mills Inc., New York, now in progress, will show evidence in the Spring and Fall issues of Vogue, Harper's Bazaar, Charm, Mademoiselle, Glamour, Seventeen, New York Times Magazine Section and Good Housekeeping.

Along the sales promotion angle, meetings are being held with fashion coordinators and women's wear merchandising managers from the major buying offices of the country to show Cone women's wear fabrics.

In addition, Cone representatives are calling on buyers in well over 100 leading fashion stores in 30 key market areas in the country.

Bulletins showing the great variety of fabrics made in Cone plants are being mailed to buyers of leading department stores.

Cutting mills using Cone materials are being requested to use Cone hangtags on the garments they make. This affords good point-of-sale identity.

Top quality production in Cone Mills creates consumer faith in Cone advertisements.

## Herman Cone, Jr. On STA Governors Bd.

Herman Cone, Jr. was recently elected to the board of governors of the Southern Textile Association to fill the unexpired term of Cecil Squires. Mr. Squires, who has been a superintendent at Fieldcrest, is now in New Jersey.

Mr. Cone's term will extend until 1958.

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**SUGGESTION PAYS OFF**—Clyde Bussell, Edna Plant employee is another person who took advantage of the company's suggestion system. He received an award from Cone Mills Corporation for his idea to drill holes in the dagger stops on the looms and insert wooden pegs to hold the leather. This will keep the protector rod from knocking off the leather.



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 expression of opinion upon any topic, will be published unless  
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 not be published unless consent is given.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1956

### Good Attendance Records

Two weeks ago the names of those employees who had perfect attendance records during 1955 were published in *The Textorian*. Along with these names there were letters from the superintendents of the various plants involved. These letters expressed appreciation for the loyalty and devotion to duty which resulted in these records. In addition attention was called to the fact that by being on the job each working day these employees helped to make it possible to operate more efficiently.

The example set by the employees who had perfect attendance records during 1955 is one that can well be followed by many others. It is only reasonable to believe that the person who has been assigned to a job is the person who can best carry out that assignment. On this basis then, the production team is weakened by having to use replacements or by shutting down machines. This results in increased cost. Additional people have to be kept on the payroll, production is lowered and quality suffers.

It is agreed that there are times when because of illness, a death in the family or some other such emergency situation that employees have to be absent from their work. These absences are not the ones which cause concern. It is those absences which take place without justifiable reason that disrupt production and throw a heavier burden on others.

When an individual accepts a job, it is understood that he also accepts the responsibility for reporting to work on every regularly scheduled work day. It is only to the extent that employees realize the full implication of this obligation that the number of employees having perfect attendance records can be increased in 1956 and the years ahead.



AWAITS MOVIE TEST—Naiva More, left, daughter of D. F. Baker, and sister of Mrs. W. A. Oliver of Proximity Plant Spinning Department, is awaiting a test for the movie, Fifth Season to be filmed in Hollywood. The former model attended Edgeville School (now Porter) and Bessemer School. She has appeared in various TV shows. She is shown with another sister, Mrs. T. J. Waddell and Boxer.

### Happy Birthday Boy Scouts

We salute the Boy Scouts of America on its 46th birthday, now being observed during Boy Scout Week, February 6 to 12.

Scouting is a program for all boys everywhere. It is successful in the widest rural areas and in the most congested cities. It possesses an inherent appeal for the healthy vigorous, normal American youth and also offers fields of achievement for the handicapped.

It has often been said that a boy can always find something to do. It is when he finds something to do that does not measure up to reasonable standards that he may get in trouble. Scouting offers a steady hand that often tips the scales away from delinquency.

Scouting has three program parts to meet the needs of boys of different age levels.

Over one million families, together with their eight-to-ten-year-old sons participate in Cub Scouting, said to be America's largest and most dynamic parent-and-boy program. Today there are 1,430,000 Cub Scouts in 36,000 Cub packs.

Boy Scouting provides for eleven, twelve, and thirteen-year-old boys an outdoor program that helps them grow in character and citizenship. Today 1,160,000 Boy Scouts are active in 54,000 troops.

Exploring serves the boy of fourteen and over with a rich program filled with high adventure and opportunities to practice good citizenship. Today 440,000 Explorers are members of 14,000 Explorer Units or are Explorers in Boy Scout troops.

Many hands join to bring Scouting to these 3,030,000 boys and young men. In addition to the 1,070,000 adult volunteers who provide the leadership for them there are 68,000 sponsoring institutions that actually operate the 104,000 Scouting units. This roll of institutions sponsoring Scout units really represents democracy in action. They represent the religious, civic, educational, and veterans organizations of the nation.

Our readers will wish to join in saying, "Happy Birthday, Boy Scouts!"

### 'Cone Ladies League'

DATE ALLEYS

DATE	ALLEYS	7-8	9-10
Feb. 10	3-1	4-2	
17	2-3	1-4	
24	3-4	2-1	
Mar. 3	4-2	3-1	
10	1-4	3-2	
17	2-1	4-3	
24	1-3	2-4	
31	3-2	4-1	
Apr. 7	1-2	3-4	
14	3-1	4-2	
21	2-3	1-4	

Teams: No. 1 Kool Springs Trailer Park, No. 2 Benlee's; No. 3 Summit Esso Service; No. 4 Edmond's Drug Store.

### BOWLING NEWS

By Maxine Allen

Last Friday night Summit Center Esso picked up the three games they needed to tie Benlee's for first place standing in the Cone Ladies League, by defeating them in all three games. High bowler for Benlee's was anchor bowler Ila Roberts, who bowled a 277 set, and tied Geneva Ward for high game, 88.

Betty Wilson bowled her best set to date, 290, for Summit Center Esso, in addition to high game, 109. Summit Center Esso also bowled high single team game of the night, 485, and high team set, 1341.

Kool Springs Trailer Park won two from Edmond's Drug Store, with Ester Coble bowling a 281 set, and 111 high game. For Edmond's, Minnie Wood's 279 set was high, as well as her 96 game.

4,100,000 members of the Boy Scouts of America belong to 538 local councils and 104,000 units.

### Salisbury News

By Pauline Safrit

Mrs. Harry Ludwig and Mrs. R. R. Cline were hostesses at the January meeting of the Harold B. Jarrett American Legion Auxiliary, held last Thursday night at the Legion Home on Lincolnton Road. Thirty members were present.

The group voted to make contributions to the Martha Claverie Fund, the Educational Loan Fund and the Hospital Library Fund, all of which are projects to help hospitalized veterans.

A donation will be sent to the March of Dimes and an order for 2500 poppies is being placed at the local veterans hospital.

The president, Mrs. Harry M. Uzzell Jr., announced the wishing well for the March of Dimes campaign will be operated by members of the Jarrett Post during the Drive on specified days.

Mrs. Jim Kesler, who, with three

other members attended the Post and Unit Officers Conference of the Legion Auxiliary of North Carolina at Greensboro last week, gave a report.

At the conclusion of the business session a program was given by Miss Hazel Linder. She used "Legislation" as her topic.

Mrs. Jack Kepley led devotions and Mrs. Uzzell led the opening pledges.

Mr. W. R. Elmore of 66 Hill Street entered Rowan Memorial Hospital February 1 for observation and treatment.

Mr. Carl Butler has returned to work after having been out several days due to illness.

Mr. Harvey Sherwood returned to his home 171 Ryan Street from Rowan Memorial Hospital on February 1. He is doing nicely.

Mr. Harry Kirchin entered Rowan Memorial Hospital Monday, Jan-

uary 27, for observation and treatment.

Mrs. Frank Parrish, 64 Hill Street, returned home from Rowan Memorial Hospital January 27, and continues quite ill.

Mrs. Barbara Misenheimer is critically ill at her home on Crawford Street.

The Virginia Dare Moore Circle and the Business Girls Circle of Stallings Memorial Baptist Church gave a party for patients in Ward 25 of the Veterans Hospital Thursday night, January 23, in the gymnasium. Games and relays were played.

Refreshments of decorated cake and lime punch were served by the 17 members of the two circles.

Scouts of 60 nations belong to the International Scout Conference, with membership totalling 6,360,762 at the end of 1954.

### THURSDAY NIGHT IS FAMILY NIGHT

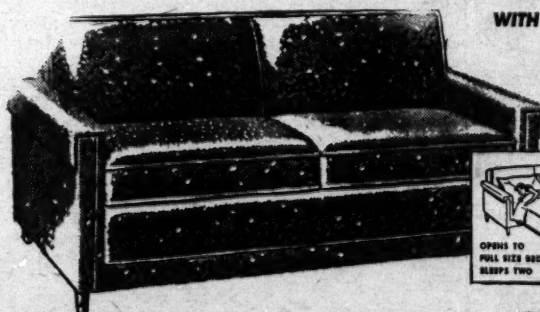


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### Edna Plant News

Seaman Arthur Lee Whitty, Jr. of the U. S. Navy, Jamestown, R. I., is spending a leave with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitty, Sr. on the Buington Road. Mr. Whitty is first shift Card Room employee and Mrs. Whitty is a first shift Spinner.

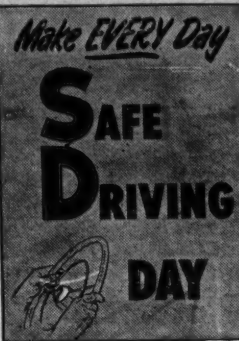
Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cook announce the birth of a son January 16 at the Penn Memorial Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Cook are both weavers on the third shift.

Mr. Oliver Quilliams who has

been critically ill in the Penn Memorial Hospital is better and is allowed visitors.

Miss Shirley Turner, third shift weaving, has returned to work after undergoing an operation.

See page one of this issue for Edna's 1955 perfect attendance list.



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### The Driver's Clinic

A question and answer column on traffic safety, driving and automobiles conducted for this newspaper by the State Department of Motor Vehicles.

Question: What's the proper gear to use driving in slick mud?

Answer: High. This gear puts less power to the rear wheels and reduces the likelihood of the wheels spinning. Better traction results.

Question: What may be indicated by high oil pressure? Low pressure?

Answer: High oil pressure may indicate a clogged oil line. However, it's possible the pressure gauge is defective. Low pressure indicates a leak in the oil line and bearings may not be receiving oil. Extremely low pressure is dangerous. When no pressure shows, stop the engine at once. Consult a mechanic.

Question: What's a quick method of determining whether a defective thermostat is causing the engine to overheat?

Answer: Squeeze the water hose between your thumb and fingers while the engine is running. Unless the hose is very stiff you can feel the water passing inside. If you do not detect any movement,

the thermostat may not be open. Remove the hose at the engine head and take out the thermostat. If it is closed, yet hot, it is defective.

Question: Why does a leaking water pump cause rust in the radiator?

Answer: It will let oxygen into the cooling system which increases rusting. If the thermostat is okay chances are rusting in the radiator is caused by a defective water pump.

Question: How can wind be dangerous to driving?

Answer: Wind gusts across the highway can force cars completely over the centerline before a driver can react. Wind is often a hidden hazard that strikes with little or no warning. On a windy day a driver can observe the irregular movement of a vehicle ahead caused by wind blast and perhaps anticipate trouble. Wind forces are very strong. At 50 miles an hour, the headlights on an automobile are sufficient to create a five horsepower resistance.

Question: You're in a bad skid. How do you keep from turning over?

Answer: A car will not turn over if the driver keeps the long axis of the car's frame in line with or parallel to the original direction in which the car was traveling



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**BIRTHDAY**—Betty Dale Pace, shown above, celebrated her fourth birthday on January 28. She is the daughter of Mrs. Agnes Pace and the late W. O. Pace. Her mother is employed in the Spinning Department of White Oak Plant.

when the skid started. If there's no danger of hitting a fixed object, the driver can usually correct the skid by steering the front end skillfully back into the original direction of travel and applying power smoothly so the rear wheels can aid in regaining position. Don't hit the brakes. This aggravates the tendency of the car to roll.

In 1929, and in the decade of the 1930's, dividend payments averaged 6 per cent of the national income. But in recent years, they have been only around 3 per cent.

### Fishing School June 11-15 On N. C. Coast

Anglers and would-be anglers, accustomed to finding schools of fish on North Carolina's coast, will find a school for fishing there June 11-15, 1956.

Sponsored by the North Carolina State College Extension Division, the five-day Short Course in Sports Fishing will be held at Nags Head in the heart of the famous fishing waters along the Outer Banks. The ocean front Carolinian Hotel will serve as dormitory and classrooms, while open beaches, protected sounds, inlets and fresh water ponds will constitute the campus.

A staff of fishing experts including Hal Lyman of Salt Water Sportsman, Bill Hassler, fisheries research biologist at State College, and Ted Henson, former southeastern casting champion, will be on hand to instruct pupils. Other faculty members will be authorities on tackle, lures and fishing spots.

This is no school of theory or statistics. It is a streamlined session designed to acquaint novices, and people whose chief hobby is fishing, with types of angling and how to handle tackle. Correcting a back-lash or baiting a hook will be serious subjects in classroom and casting grounds. At such a school, pupils willingly get up before dawn to go on a field trip to pond or surf.

Purposes of the course, as set forth in the prospectus available from North Carolina State College, Raleigh, are: to study habits of sports fish, discuss variable factors involved in fishing success, developing an appreciation of the factors of fish conservation, determining the specific use and limitations of various tackle, and taking fishing trips with expert fishermen.

Included in the curriculum is an off-shore fishing trip, a fresh water fishing trip, and fish jaunts to famous surf casting beaches. Although

### Valentine Day Plea Is Made by Two Youngsters: 'Help Your Heart Fund'



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the school headquarters are directly on the Atlantic shoreline, it is within a few minutes drive of fresh water ponds and the fresh water fishing grounds of Albemarle Sound and Kitty Hawk Bay. A few miles south is Oregon Inlet, home port of charter boats which go out to the Gulf Stream off Hatteras.

A single fee covers cost of room and board, tuition, and all fishing trips requiring boats and baits. Students should bring sports attire suitable for fishing, plus their favorite tackle if they have any. Bathing suits and cameras will be useful.

Although the Sports Fishing Short Course of 1956 is the first held at Nags Head and the first combining instruction in both salt water and fresh water fishing technique, fishing schools are not new in North Carolina. For the past few years, State College has sponsored two fishing institutes each year, one on the coast and one in the mountains. These have been replaced by the all-inclusive course at Nags Head.

For information and registration blanks, write Extension Division, North Carolina State College, Raleigh. Advance registration is required.

When classes and fishing expeditions are not scheduled, fishing school students will find a wealth of interesting places to visit in the Nags Head area. They include Wright Memorial, marking the birthplace of powered flight; the Cape Hatteras National Seashore Recreational Area and its museums of natural history and maritime history; Fort Raleigh National Historical Site on Roanoke Island, where the first English colonies were established in America; and historic Bodie Island and Hatteras lighthouses. Along the beaches there is excellent surf bathing.

### Cone Y Teams To Play Two Games This Week

Tonight (February 10) the Cone Memorial YMCA boys and girls basketball teams will play two tough semi-pro teams from Roxboro. The games will be played on the Proximity Y Court. The girls will play the first game at 6:30 with the boys game at 7:30.

The boys All-Star team, which is made up of five players from Proximity, six from White Oak and one player from Print Works, will be playing one of the toughest teams that they have faced this season.

Saturday night, February 11, South Boston will bring two teams over to the local gym to play another doubleheader. South Boston has one of the best semi-pro basketball teams in Virginia.

This year the boys are being coached by Fay Gilbert and the girls by Cobbie Collins.

Last Friday night the All-Star's beat the Phillip Oilers "66" team from Lexington 93 to 56. Frankie Jones (22) and Archie Wheeler (20) led the All-Star's in their victory.

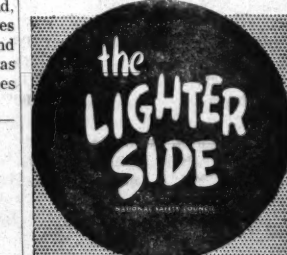
Al Smith and Cleo Pegram played an outstanding game as they got 32 rebounds between them during the game.

The two local teams from Cone YMCA will also be represented in the inter-state YMCA Basketball Tournament that is to be held at Maydan YMCA on February 24 and 25.

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## LISTEN AMERICANS!

... by Dr. George S. Benson  
DIRECTOR - NATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAM  
Searcy, Arkansas

Great principles do not survive merely because they are right, or because they have been painstakingly legislated. Unless an understanding of the great principles of the American way of life, their rightness and their priceless advantages, is implanted in the minds and hearts of each new generation, our nation one day will falter and start down the road toward human slavery and ultimate destruction. This is the conclusion I reached almost 20 years ago when I returned to my native United States after 11 years abroad witnessing the alarming growth of the Socialist and Communist movements throughout Asia and Europe.

For 17 of these 20 years the National Education Program has been producing educational materials and developing educational techniques designed to bring about a better understanding of our American system, its comparative advantages, how these advantages are created, and how each individual must assume certain obligations of citizenship — a program of positive education for our adult population as well as the school and college youth of America. The whole effort has been a non-profit, public service enterprise.

There has just been completed in our National Program workshops a series of 13 educational motion pictures under the title, "The American Adventure." They are unique; there is nothing quite like them. The series was produced for use in schools and colleges, on television, in industrial training programs, in the armed services; and for discussion groups in various other areas. From start to finish the films teach, in dramatic, fascinating way, the basic facts with every American, young and old, should know to uphold the urgent citizenship responsibilities of people living in freedom. For use with each film a teacher's or discussion leader's guide has been prepared.

The response of people who have seen these films is one of the most encouraging experiences I've ever had in many years of educational work. Previews have been held for governmental leaders in Washington, for educators, business and industry executives, for agricultural and industrial employee groups, and for educational specialists in the armed services. Almost with one voice the previewers have said, "Every American must see these films and absorb their great lessons!"

"The American Adventure" series begins with a film dramatizing the founding of the American private ownership economic system at Plymouth Colony after a period of failure with a communal or collectivist system. Succeeding films take up each element in our American political and economic system, dramatize their workings and point up their comparative advantages.

The final film of the series is devoted to the outlining and discussion of "The Responsibilities of American Citizenship." A challenging eight-point list of specifics is offered. Illustrated brochures on the series have been prepared.

### Statistics Local Church Crusade

SUNDAY, FEB. 5, 1956

Church	Mem- bership	S. S. Enroll.	S. S. Attend.	Worship Attend.
Carraway Memorial Meth.	526	346	197	275
Eller Memorial Baptist	1130	574	395	434
Church of God	230	228	157	300
Newlyn St. Methodist	325	228	235	300
Palm St. Christian	239	225	138	221
Proximity Methodist	594	323	214	260
Rankin Baptist	252	236	198	314
Second Pilgrim Holiness	180	264	247	325
16th St. Baptist	675	515	345	567
Stevens Memorial Baptist	280	215	154	206
Revolution Baptist	468	312	227	290
Wesleyan Methodist	105	135	92	150
St. Paul Methodist	214	184	108	138
Grand Totals	5218	3785	2707	3780
Percentages	100%	73%	72%	73%

(The following poem was read by Charles T. McNary of Blue Bell, at the annual YMCA board of directors.)

#### THE TOUCH OF THE MASTER'S HAND

'Twas battered and scarred, and the auctioneer  
Thought it scarcely worth his while  
To waste much time on the old violin,  
But he held it up with a smile.

"What am I bidding, good folks," he cried,  
Who'll start bidding for me?  
A dollar, a dollar—now two, only two—  
Two dollars, and who'll make it three?"

"Three dollars, once, three dollars twice,  
Going for three"—but no!  
From the room far back a gray-haired man  
Came forward and picked up the bow;

Then wiping the dust from the old violin  
And tightening up all the strings,  
He played a melody, pure and sweet,  
As sweet as the angel sings.

The music ceased, and the auctioneer,  
With a voice that was quiet and low,  
Said: "Now what am I bid for the old violin?"

And he held it up with the bow.  
"A thousand dollars—and who'll make it two?"  
Two thousand—and who'll make it three?

Three thousand once, three thousand twice—  
And going—and gone," said he.  
The people cheered, but some of them cried,  
"We do not quite understand—  
What changed its worth?" The man replied:

"The touch of a master's hand."  
And many a man with life out of tune,  
And battered and torn with sin,  
Is auctioned cheap to a thoughtless crowd,

Much like the old violin.  
A "mess of pottage," a glass of wine,  
A game—and he travels on,  
He's going once, and going twice,  
He's going—and almost gone!  
But the Master comes, and the

foolish crowd  
Never can quite understand  
The worth of a soul, and the change  
that's wrought  
By the touch of the Master's hand.  
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Born on the 3rd (1811) was Horace (Go West, young man!) Greeley, famed journalist, in Amherst, N. H. On the 4th (1902), Charles A. ("The Lone Eagle") Lindberg, first to fly the Atlantic non-stop and alone, in Detroit, Mich.

Born on the 3rd (1811) was Clair Lewis, who wrote "Main Street" and other books, in Sauk Center, Minn. On the 8th (1820), William Tecumseh Sherman, the General who said "War is Hell!" and proved it in his march through Georgia, in Lancaster, O.

Born on the 9th (1773) was William Henry Harrison, 9th President

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ning and establishment of the Evening College.

Mr. Voehringer, another founder of the institution, received a citation recognizing his "achievements in industry and philanthropy."

Advisory Board Chairman C. C. Fordham, Jr. told the gathering something of the history of the Evening College. Huger S. King, chairman of the campaign planning committee, also spoke.

The present development program of the board is undertaking to provide physical facilities in Greensboro for a student body of about 1,000 to replace the crowded Washington Street quarters of the school.

Scouting's main purpose is to train boys in character, leadership, and unselfish service.

The President of the United States serves as Honorary President of the Boy Scouts of America during his term of office.

The Boy Scout Law requires each member to do at least one Good Turn for some body every day.

Boy Scouts planted 6,192,753 trees in 1954.

Boy Scouts assist state and local civil defense organizations.

(served only 31 days before he died from pneumonia, contracted during his inauguration) in Berkeley, Va. On the 11th (1847), famed inventor Thomas Alva Edison, in Milan, O.

On the 12th (1809), Abraham Lincoln, in a log cabin in Kentucky; on the 13th (1892), Robert H. Jackson, Justice of the Supreme Court, in Spring Creek, Pa.; on the 14th (1819), Christopher Latham Sholes, called "Father of the Typewriter" because he was the first inventor to follow the idea of a writing machine through to commercial success, in Mooresburg, Pa.

Born in Westmoreland County, Va., on the 22nd (1732), George Washington; on the 26th (1846) in Scott County, Iowa, William Frederick ("Buffalo Bill") Cody, and on the 27th (1807) in Portland, Me., Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, the things "Hiawatha" and "The Village Blacksmith."

#### PROXIMITY PTA

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Mrs. H. J. Elkins; 1926-27, Mrs. Edgar Weaver; 1927-28, Mrs. Turner Suttles; 1928-29, Mrs. A. S. Arnold; 1929-1930, Mrs. John Scott.

1930-31, Mrs. Gustav Ziprik; 1931-33, Mrs. Walter Thornburg; 1933-34, Mrs. Fred Steele Sr.; 1934-35, Mr. J. B. Gardner; 1935-36, Mr. Raymond Kincaid; 1936-37, Mrs. J. D. Whitt; 1937-38, Mrs. J. B. Gardner; 1938-39, Mrs. L. O. Cauthern; 1939-40, Mr. Walter Thornburg, (deceased).

1940-42, Mrs. J. I. Morris; 1942, Mrs. Archie Baynes (2 months); 1942-44, Mrs. R. H. Scruggs; 1944-47, Mrs. Fredrick Marshall; 1947-49, Mrs. T. R. Noah; 1949-1950, Mrs. W. A. Way; 1950-51, Mrs. Fredrick Marshall; 1951-53, Mrs. George Hicks; 1953-55, Mr. Richard Sullivan.

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#### SCOUTING EXPOSITION

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Scouting in Action. The Packs, Troops, and Explorer Units can earn both money and prizes.

The General Greene Council, participating in this Exposition, consists of all the scouts in Guilford County and Randolph County. In this Council there are over three thousand scouts who will be affected by this Exposition.

The scouts have distributed posters in the business districts of Greensboro and Asheboro. The Boy Scouts and members of the Greater Greensboro Exchange Club now have tickets for sale. The Scouts will be in uniform to sell these tickets. The cost: Adults, 35c; children 15c.

This is the first attempt to have an Exposition in Greensboro. It is hoped that this may be a bi-annual affair. The Scouts have camps and a varied outdoor life during the summer months to keep them busy. The purpose of this exposition is to bring new enthusiasm to scouting during the winter months.

If any technical information is desired on Scouting, it can be obtained from Boy Scout Headquarters. Phone 5-7202. Program details or any other information can be obtained from J. W. Kellar, Project Chairman, Phone 4-6643.



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ton, Furman L. Moore, John H. Stewart, and Claude M. Dodson of the Pickering Department.

Alphonsa S. Mora, Charlie C. Miller, Jimmy T. Eller, Robert R. Griggs, Ellis Horton, Gurney B. Bason, Arthur W. Cole, Otha M. Ross, Arnold H. Terrell, and Robert H. Warrell of the Finishing Department.

New to the clinic on Wednesday afternoon were Charles D. Puckett and Zee Prenette.

Others present were Barbara Caviness, Gloria Shores, Janice Shores, Allen Pinkelton, Dionne Self, Jimmy Edmonds, Wayne Self, Bruce Brown, Sue Durham, Boots Durham, Donna Jo Puckett, Kay Amick and Mary J. Amick.

Nurses gave 10 immunizations and six vaccinations.

At a recent school for training Scout executives for the Boy Scouts of America, men taking the course included leaders from Finland, Brazil, Norway, Burma, and the Philippine Islands.

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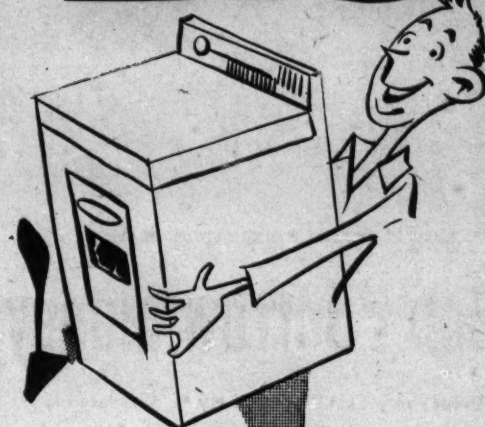
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